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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of
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entitled TEST PRINTING METHOD, INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS, AND
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the specification of which () is attached hereto (X) was filed on January 31, 2001
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